

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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NATHAN ABRAMS

BETHANY ABRAMS,

Debtors



Order Filed on April 11, 2018  
by Clerk  
U.S. Bankruptcy Court  
District of New Jersey

Case No.: 17-31293

Chapter 13

Hearing Date: 4/5/2018

Judge: Vincent F. Papalia

**ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT OF PERSONAL INJURY ACTION  
AND LEGAL FEES FOR SPECIAL COUNSEL**

The relief set forth on the following pages, numbered two (2) through Two (2) is hereby **ORDERED**.

**DATED: April 11, 2018**

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Vincent F. Papalia".  
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**Honorable Vincent F. Papalia**  
**United States Bankruptcy Judge**

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Debtor: NATHAN AND BETHANY ABRAMS

Case No: 17-31293

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ACTION AND LEGAL FEES FOR SPECIAL COUNSEL**

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1. That the Settlement in the Personal Injury Action against Lasherra and Larry Curry which has a gross total of \$87,500.00, related to injuries suffered by Bethany Abrams on May 15, 2015 be and is hereby approved

2. Disbursements shall be made as set forth in the Disbursement Statement submitted to this court as an exhibit to this motion, including payment of Special Counsel's legal fees and out of pocket expenses in the sum of \$31,772.96 and payment to Optum in the amount of \$15,000.00 to satisfy a medical lien on the proceeds.

3. The Chapter 13 Trustee shall be paid pursuant to a Balance to Complete Letter issued in the normal course;

4. The net proceeds after payment of all of the aforementioned parties shall be paid to Debtor Bethany Abrams.

5. The Chapter 13 Trustee shall be provided with a copy of the final closing statement (settlement statement), upon consummation of the disbursement, to ensure that compliance with this order.

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United States Bankruptcy Court  
District of New Jersey

In re:  
Nathan Scott Abrams  
Bethany Marie Abrams  
Debtors

Case No. 17-31293-VFP  
Chapter 13

**CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE**

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db/jdb +Nathan Scott Abrams, Bethany Marie Abrams, 753 Burnt Meadow Road, Hewitt, NJ 07421-3508  
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NONE. TOTAL: 0

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NONE.

TOTAL: 0

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**I, Joseph Speetjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.**

**Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed. R. Bank. P. 2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.**

Date: Apr 13, 2018

Signature: /s/Joseph Speetjens

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**CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING**

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on April 11, 2018 at the address(es) listed below:

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TOTAL: 5